26th March 1929]

Proceedings against Mr. Sambamurti.

* 1882 Q.—Mr. K. V. R. SWAMI : Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state— 11-15 a.m.

(a) whether Government have received reports that speeches of the kind for which proceedings were taken against Sjt. Bulusu Sambamurti are made all over the country by responsible leaders of the people ; and

(b) why in this particular case alone proceedings were launched ?

A.—(a) No.

(b) Does not arise.

Mr. G. HARISARVOTTAMA RAO :—" May I know in view of the fact, the records are being examined, whether the question is being considered as to the propriety of launching proceedings in this case by the police without reference to the Government ? "

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MUHAMMAD USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :—" Yes, Sir."

Mr. A. KALESWARA RAO :—" May I know whether any correspondence has gone on between the Government of India and this Government with regard to any repressive policy to be followed by this Government ? "

The hon. Khan Bahadur Sir MUHAMMAD USMAN SAHIB Bahadur :—" No, Sir."

Alleged threatening of Mr. Sesha Chariyar of Walajapet for feeding Congress workers.

* 1883 Q.—Mr. C. VENKATARANGAM NAYUDU : Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that Kasim Ali, Police constable No. 274 of Ranipet, threatened Mr. Sesha Chariyar of Walajapet for having given food to Mr. K. R. Jamathagni Nayakar, a Congress worker, with a criminal prosecution if he entertained Congress workers ;

(b) whether the Government propose to take any action in the matter ; and

(c) if not, why not ?

A.—The Government have no information but have called for it.

Alleged threatening of bus owners by the Sub-Inspector of Police, Peranamallore.

* 1884 Q.—Mr. C. VENKATARANGAM NAYUDU : Will the hon. the Home Member be pleased to state—

(a) whether it is a fact that Mr. Bagavan Singh, Sub-Inspector of Police, Peranamallore, Wandiwash taluk, is threatening bus owners saying that their licences will be cancelled if they give room to Mr. K. V. Srinivasa Bharathi in their buses ;

(b) whether the Government propose to make any enquiry in the matter ; and

(c) if not, why not ?

A.—The Government have no information but have called for it.